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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **Lakeside Forest Park Driveway Closure**

The driveway entrance at the Lakeside Forest Wilderness Area, located on Fall Creek Road, will be closed to traffic starting at 7:00 a.m. Monday, May 13, 2013 through 6:00 p.m. Friday, May 17, 2013.

The driveway will be closed so that the existing gravel driveway can be removed and a new concrete apron installed at the entrance to the park.

The park and trails will remain open, but guests are asked to use alternate parking during this construction. Patrons are welcome to use the parking lot of the Dick Clark's American Bandstand Theatre. Please park in the corner nearest the corner of Fall Creek Road and Highway 76, and cross safely at the crosswalk.

The new driveway entrance is part of the improvements underway at the 140-acre City Park. Patrons will also see a new 6,000 square-foot parking lot, entrance gate, and signage. Lakeside Forest Wilderness Area contains nearly 4 miles of hiking trails offering stunning views from the bluff overlooking Lake Taneycomo.

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